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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: T. HOTTA, et al  
Serial No.: 09/853,769  
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Group: 2183  
Examiner: D. Pan

**AMENDMENT**

**MS Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 24, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 24, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims**

**Remarks** are included following the amendments.